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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)</b> Applicant(s): Aziz C. Awad	Docket No. Healthtreat 4.1-1
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Application No. 10/679,714	Filing Date October 6, 2003	Examiner Viren A. Thakur	Customer No. 21036	Group Art Unit 1794	Confirmation No. 2884
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Invention: **REDUCTION OF ACRYLAMIDE FORMATION IN COOKED STARCHY FOODS**

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116(b) (1)**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed October 18, 2007, Applicant amends and remarks as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.